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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter, which is claimed and for which a patent is sought in the application entitled:

GAS BURNER-TYPE COMBUSTION DEVICE AND METHOD FOR OPERATING SAME

	which application is:x the attached application(for original application)			ed on Application ed June 27, 2003		
			(for decla	ration not accomp	anying applica	ation)
	I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.					
	I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.					
	I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the Untied States of America, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:					
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	02/07983	France	Jı	ine 27, 2002		(yes or no) yes
	I hereby claim the benefit of Title 35, United States Code §120 of any United States application(s) and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in a listed States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Co acknowledge my duty to disclose any material information under 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a) which occurred filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:					
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